



Boosters for COVID-19 Vaccines

COVID-19 vaccines continue to provide strong protection against severe illness, hospitalization and death. Booster doses are now recommended for some populations.

Boosters are common for many vaccines. The COVID-19 Vaccine boosters ensure that recipients will continue to have a strong level of protection against COVID-19 and help reduce transmission to others.

All U.S.-approved COVID-19 vaccines are effective in reducing the risk of severe disease, hospitalization and death, even against the Delta variant. All COVID-19 vaccines, including boosters, are completely free.



If you received the ...

Pfizer vaccine

A **single** booster dose is recommended for individuals 16 years and older at least **six months** after the second dose.

Moderna vaccine

A **single** booster dose is recommended for individuals 18 years and older at least **six months** after the second dose.

Johnson & Johnson vaccine

A **single** booster dose is recommended for all Johnson & Johnson recipients at least **two months** after the first dose.

Mixing and matching of all U.S.-approved COVID-19 vaccines is allowed for booster doses.

Eligible individuals can choose which vaccine they receive as a booster dose. Some people may have a preference for the vaccine type that they originally received, and others may prefer to get a different brand of vaccine.



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